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TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR AUTOMATIC EXTENSION

A Reply to Action of February 28, 2006, a Reissue Application Declaration by the Inventor, and an IDS relating to this application are enclosed. Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for a 3 month extension of time, and encloses the required fee of \$1,020. Please apply any charges not covered, or any credits, to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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